

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 9008

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate the South Greene Middle School Rebels football team.

WHEREAS, we are pleased to specially honor and commend those successful athletic teams that, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors for this State; and

WHEREAS, the South Greene Middle School football team achieved an extraordinary level of success during the 2021 season, posting a final record of eight wins against only one loss; and

WHEREAS, the South Greene Rebels completed their tremendous season with a flourish, defeating Johnson County 48-16 in a bowl game on Rebel Hill to win their eighth straight game; and

WHEREAS, winning seasons are achieved only through hard work, dedication, and the ability to work together as a team and excel with a cooperative spirit; the Rebels exhibited each of these rare qualities during their 2021 season; and

WHEREAS, displaying the tenacious defense and juggernaut offense that South Greene fans have come to know and love, the Rebels rolled through their opponents this season, compiling 1,911 yards and thirty rushing touchdowns and 545 yards and six touchdowns via the pass to score 289 total points and hold their opponents to just sixty-four total points; and

WHEREAS, the football players of South Greene Middle School epitomize all that is good in today's student athletes, as they have achieved the highest level of success on the field while showing the highest degree of character both on and off the field; they inspired their fellow students and united the entire community during their triumphant run through the 2021 season; and

WHEREAS, the dedication, determination, work ethic, and talent of this group of young men not only made possible an exceptional football season but also surely bode well for their success in every future endeavor; and

WHEREAS, we find it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud the Rebels football players of South Greene Middle School for serving as exemplars of the high quality of the youth of Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate the players, coaching staff, team support staff, administrators, cheerleaders, and fans of the South Greene Middle School Rebels football team on its 2021 season and extend to them our best wishes for much continued success in their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.